



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 5329

LCO No. 1309



Referred to Committee on GENERAL LAW

Introduced by:
(GL)

***AN ACT EXPANDING SUNDAY ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR RESTAURANT
SALES HOUR.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General
Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 30-91 of the 2016 supplement to
2 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
3 thereof (*Effective from passage*):

4 (a) The sale or the dispensing or consumption or the presence in
5 glasses or other receptacles suitable to permit the consumption of
6 alcoholic liquor by an individual in places operating under hotel
7 permits, restaurant permits, cafe permits, restaurant permits for
8 catering establishments, bowling establishment permits, racquetball
9 facility permits, club permits, coliseum permits, coliseum concession
10 permits, special sporting facility restaurant permits, special sporting
11 facility employee recreational permits, special sporting facility guest
12 permits, special sporting facility concession permits, special sporting
13 facility bar permits, golf country club permits, nonprofit public
14 museum permits, university permits, airport restaurant permits,
15 airport bar permits, airport airline club permits, tavern permits, a

16 manufacturer permit for a brew pub, manufacturer permits for beer
17 and brew pubs, casino permits, caterer liquor permits and charitable
18 organization permits shall be unlawful on: (1) Monday, Tuesday,
19 Wednesday, Thursday and Friday between the hours of one o'clock
20 a.m. and nine o'clock a.m.; (2) Saturday between the hours of two
21 o'clock a.m. and nine o'clock a.m.; (3) Sunday between the hours of
22 two o'clock a.m. and [eleven] ten o'clock a.m.; (4) Christmas, except (A)
23 for alcoholic liquor that is served where food is also available during
24 the hours otherwise permitted by this section for the day on which
25 Christmas falls, and (B) by casino permittees at casinos, as defined in
26 section 30-37k; and (5) January first between the hours of three o'clock
27 a.m. and nine o'clock a.m., except that on any Sunday that is January
28 first the prohibitions of this section shall be between the hours of three
29 o'clock a.m. and eleven o'clock a.m.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	30-91(a)

Statement of Purpose:

To expand alcoholic liquor sales hours at restaurants and certain other permit premises from 11:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. on Sunday.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]